

**TODAY and
TOMORROW**

No World Peace

THE Anglo-American propagandists of those days said the first World War was to end all wars. But as a matter of melancholy fact, the conclusion of that ghastly Armageddon only sowed the seeds of great social unrest and political strife all over Europe, culminating in the second world war.

As soon as this war broke out in 1939, the Anglo-American propagandists reappeared on the scene and kept putting out that the destruction of Nazi power in Germany would usher in a new era of concord and comfort for all anti-Axis countries.

But the surrender of Germany did not bring the promised millennium in Europe. On the other hand Europe is today a boiling cauldron. The Western part of it, embracing France, Italy, Belgium and Holland, finds itself riddled with economic ills and party conflicts. But eastern Europe has become a real gun-powder magazine that will explode any time from now. Italy and Yugoslavia are at loggerheads over certain places like Fiume. And the Anglo-Americans on the one hand and the Russians on the other seem bound to fly at each other's throats because of Poland and Austria. It is said that the joint control of Germany by Britain, America, Russia and France is going to begin very soon. If so, that will only hasten the inevitable conflict among the Big Four.

Nor is the European atmosphere alone charged with electricity. The Near East and the Middle East, too, are fermenting with grave unrest. The Algerians have risen in revolt against the French. And the French have retaliated by killing or wounding, so far, more than ten thousand insurrectionists.

In Syria the British Government has ordered its Commander-in-Chief in the Middle East to intervene. It is rather significant that while the United States approves this intervention, Russia keeps mum about it and no doubt, this is going to embitter the already none too happy Anglo-French relations.

One could gather from what is happening in Europe and nearby countries, that we are soon going to witness the division of the Big Four into two hostile camps—namely, Britain and America versus Russia and France. That will lead sooner or later to another great war.

The Anglo-American greediness for world hegemony has been the primary cause of most of the wars of the last one hundred years. So long as they cherish the hope of world exploitation by suppressing the freedom-loving people there will never be lasting peace in this world. They are the enemies of humanity and they retard the progress of civilization. The war aims of Nippon are superb in that she wages this war for self-preservation as well as for the liberation of the downtrodden people of Asia, thereby creating a homogeneous family of nations. The high sounding Anglo-American slogan of "World Security" is nothing but an eyewash to hoodwink the world and in their complete destruction alone can everlasting peace be established.

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Br. Government Determined To Dominate India

*Not Prepared To Offer
More Than Notorious
Cripp's Proposals*

A despatch from New York states that the British Government is not prepared to offer India anything more than the notorious Cripps' proposals which have been denounced by almost all parties in India.

According to this despatch, the British Government is not prepared even to put into effect constitutional changes such as envisaged in the Cripps' proposals before the end of the war with Nippon. The despatch says that the British stand by the proposals submitted by the Cripps' mission and rejected by the Indians. British officials, the despatch continues, would consider acceptance of the offer of an interim change in the government as the first step in renewing negotiations on final settlement, but they feel certain that such an offer would be flatly rejected by the Indian National Congress and the Muslim League.

Meanwhile, in the British House of Commons on Thursday, Labour Member, Sorenson asked the Secretary of State for India, Leopold Amery, whether any conclusions had been reached in his conversations with Lord Wavell respecting political and economic development in India and whether Amery could now make a general statement on the matter and the question of releasing all political prisoners.

Amery merely replied that he had nothing to add to the statement he made on May 29th that Wavell was expected to return to India this week end and it was not intended that statements should be made until after his arrival in India.

The heavy toll of Indian lives due to malaria and lack of quinine for the use of civilians formed the subject of another question asked in the House of Commons. Sorenson asked Amery what mortality rates were for malaria in India during the past ten years and to what extent this was attributable to the shortage of quinine.

The Secretary of State for India evaded the question and merely stated that he had no reliable figures of deaths in India due to malaria.

Lord Wavell Returns To India After London Visit

Lisbon, June 1 (Domei)—Indian Viceroy Lord Wavell today left for India, terminating over one month's visit in London during which he held important consultations with British government leaders, according to a London dispatch.

51 MORE AMERICAN SHIPS DESTROYED OFF OKINAWA; DAI HONYEI STATEMENT

*566 War Vessels Sunk Or Damaged
Since Okinawa Invasion Venture*

Tokyo, June 1 (Domei)—American losses in warcraft in Okinawa waters have risen to the colossal total of 566 vessels either sunk or heavily damaged. The Nipponese Imperial Headquarters announced at 3.30 p.m. today that 51 more American ships have been destroyed off Okinawa.

The announcement says that Nipponese air and submarine units continued their attacks in face of inclement weather against enemy air bases on Main Okinawa Island and Iyeyima as well as enemy surface craft and task force in waters around the main Island. Of war results achieved since May 11th, those that have become known up to the present are as follows:

Sunk: 6 cruisers, 3 destroyers,

5 transports and 7 warcraft of unknown category.

Heavily Damaged or Set Ablaze: 2 auxiliary aircraft carriers, 3 battleships or cruisers, 4 cruisers, 4 destroyers, 6 transports and 11 warcraft of unknown category.

Besides this, enemy airfields were blasted or set ablaze at least 46 points.

The greater part of these war results were achieved by attacks by Special Attack Corps.

On the ground, the communique reveals that Nipponese units in the southern sector of Okinawa Main Island are now valiantly and courageously fighting against the enemy, who has since penetrated gradually into the area south of Yonabaru, and the line linking Shuri and Naha.

Nippon Forces & Enemy Locked In Big Battle Around Naha And Shuri

Tokyo, June 1 (Domei)—The ground battle on the Okinawa front now centering around Naha and Shuri continues to rage with the utmost ferocity. The sharpest fighting is developing between our units determined to defend these two cities to the last man, and enemy forces showing growing impatience over the continued stalemate in the fighting in this sector.

Amazing quantities of ammunition are being lavishly expended by the enemy who appears determined to storm strong points around Naha and Shuri at any cost, while our defenders are carrying on most devastating counter-assaults, inflicting heaviest casualties on the invaders.

Despite stiffest opposition put up by our units enemy troops finally succeeded in penetrating into the north-eastern section of Naha City between May 29 and 30.

In view of this critical development our garrison units

withdrew part of their troops to positions in the rear to consolidate the defence lines. At the same time those of our troops who remained within the city are now carrying on effective rearguard action by engaging the enemy in sanguinary hand-to-hand fighting at a number of strategic points there.

Meanwhile, enemy troops in the Shuri area had been increasing pressure upon our defence positions not only by pushing on their frontal attacks but also directing their supporting attacks on Shuri's city walls from the south and south-east. Nippon units after drawing enemy troops close to the city and engaging them in the bitterest hand-to-hand fighting, finally succeeded in turning back the invaders with severe losses. Enemy troops following their initial failure made repeated attacks. However, their onslaught on this front so far has been successfully checkmated by our defenders who continue to put up the most stubborn opposition.

Foe Raiders Downed Over Waters South Of Syonan

Syonan, June 1 (Domei)—The Syonan Defence Headquarters disclosed at 10.30 o'clock this morning that Nippon fighters brought down a PB4Y2 and a B-24 over waters south of Syonan this morning.

Nippon fighters, it stated, about 9.30 o'clock this morning intercepted a PB4Y2 and a B-24 approaching Syonan and shot down both of the planes over waters south of Syonan.

No damage was suffered by our side, the announcement said.

Brendan Bracken Sees No Early End To Pacific War

Lisbon, May 31 (Domei)—Brendan Bracken, British First Lord of the Admiralty and former Minister of Information, today declared he foresaw no early end of the Pacific War, because the Nipponese were "tougher" than the Germans, according to a London dispatch.

Speaking in London, Bracken said, "I would think it right to say that the Nipponese are a tough, if not tougher, people than the Germans. I consider that tremendous fighting awaits ahead."

New Weapon "Jinrai" Strikes Terror In Enemy

*Triumph For Nippon Science
& Nippon Spirit, Declares
Chief Army Spokesman*

With the use of the "Jinrai" weapon the casualties inflicted on the enemy by the Imperial Nippon forces in the Okinawa sector have been colossal and the weapon has been striking terror into the hearts of the enemy forces.

Thus declared Lt.-Col. Shozo Nakajima, Chief Spokesman of the Imperial Nippon forces in the Southern Regions, in a survey of the war situation in the Pacific theatre, at the weekly Press conference here yesterday.

"The success of this new weapon is a triumph for Nippon science and at the same time it is a triumph of Nippon spirit," went on the Chief Spokesman.

Referring to the body-crashing special attack corps, the Chief Spokesman said that the Germans called it the V-bombs with an "eye" but this new weapon "Jinrai" is the living bomb or, in other words, the human bomb.

"Such a human bomb, I do not think has ever been thought of or imagined since the beginning of this world. I can confidently say that no country in the world, with the exception of Nippon, can make use of this weapon or an organization as the special attack corps," continued the Chief Spokesman, adding that it is an especial privilege of the Asiatics. "As long as this spirit of dying for one's country willingly and gladly and body-crashing into the enemy remains, I am sure, Nippon is sure to win this war of Dai Toa," declared Lt.-Col. Nakajima.

In this connection the Chief Spokesman mentioned the striking instance of an Indonesian, Achmed, a Heihocho, who took part in the Tarakan fighting and who, in the course of that fighting, carried a bomb into the enemy forces and met a heroic death. Achmed had won the posthumous distinction of Nito-heihocho for his gallant deed, added Lt.-Col. Nakajima.

The Chief Spokesman said that the British and the Australian forces had treated the inhabitants of this district in Tarakan very cruelly and even to think of such cruelty it made him shudder.

By his gallant sacrifice Heihocho Achmed had saved his people. (Continued on next page)

Nimitz Makes Another Belated Admission

Lisbon, May 31 (Domei)—American Fleet Admiral Chester Nimitz's Headquarters reported from Guam yesterday that two units of the American Fleet were damaged off Okinawa. No details were revealed.

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ple from the cruelty of the enemy and at the same time he had displayed to the British and Australian forces that the rest of Asiatic peoples had the same death-defying spirit as the people of Nippon.

To sweat and die for other people is a virtue highly esteemed by all religions and those who can display or manifest this highest virtue are the Nipponese and other Asiatic races, went on Lt.-Col. Nakajima, adding that as long as this sublime and strong spirit is cherished by us Asia is sure to win and I have not the least doubt that the War of Greater East Asia will be won by us.

Pointing out that by the new reshuffle in the Nippon Navy under which Admiral Toyoda has become the Chief of General Staff and Vice-Admiral Ozawa has succeeded Admiral Toyoda as Commander-in-Chief of the Nippon Fleet, the Chief Spokesman said the fact that this energetic and able admiral—Admiral Ozawa—has been appointed to a post in the front line showed the Navy's firm determination to fight out this decisive battle.

The combination of these two able Admirals with abundant experience in actual warfare promises big war results in the future, added the Chief Spokesman.

"Forty years ago the Russian Baltic Fleet approached the waters of Nippon to suffer annihilation at the hands of Nippon. At present the American fleet is now in the vicinity of Okinawa and Nippon is trying to draw it closer to Nippon shores to give it the annihilative blow. With the approach of the enemy fleet nearer to Nippon mainland, I am sure the saying that history repeats itself will once again come true," concluded Lt.-Col. Nakajima.

Chinese Journal Reveals Chiang-Yenan Friction

Shanghai, May 31 (Domei)—Further evidence of continued conflict between the Chungking and Yenan regimes was revealed in a recent issue of the "Sunan Pao," organ of the new Fourth Army belonging to the Chinese Communist Party.

According to this paper, the new Fourth Army on April 29 established its Kiangsu-Chekiang headquarters at an undisclosed place south of the Yangtze River.

Simultaneously with the establishment of the new headquarters, the Communist authorities at Yenan were reported to have adopted the following three programs:

Firstly, adopt new types of arms and expand the People's Self-Defence Corps by organizing armed peasants' units, in order to cope with Chungking's challenge;

Secondly, assist the people's popular movement, launch a campaign against the Chungking Kuomintang's one-party dictatorship and demand an immediate reorganization of the High Command as well as the establishment of a democratic coalition government;

Thirdly, crush all sorts of anti-Communist plots and at the same time restrict Kuomintang members' activities.

U.S. Woman Raises Scare On Russian Boggey

Lisbon, June 1 (Domei)—Strongly charging that the Soviet Union is seeking to "Sovietize" India, American Representative Claire Booth Luce, of Connecticut, today warned that "unless Britain and the United States join in taking some definite steps toward giving India a firm dateline for independence, we will see the inclusion of India in the Soviet Union within the next decade," according to a Washington dispatch.

There is no secret about the fact that Russia is helping Indian revolutionaries, the influential woman Representative said, adding that the Soviet Union's ambition to control India is clearly reflected in all Soviet publications.

Luce said, "The inclusion of India in the Soviet Union would be the greatest tragedy which could happen to the cause of freedom and to the people of India themselves."

The journalist-wife of the publisher of the popular American magazine "Time," pointed out that the Soviet Union is striving to increase its influence among Indian intellectuals as well as the masses.

Communist agents in India, she said, are given special training in the Soviet propaganda school at Kazan, which is designed to prepare underground leaders for building communist cells in India and among the half-a-million followers of Islam.

In 1942, this school had about 4,000 prospective agents, most of whom are now engaged in active propaganda in India, Arabia, Iraq and Iran, she charged.

Declaring that this threat of

French Garrison Ordered To Cease Fire In Levant

Zurich, June 1 (Domei)—Confronted by direct British military intervention, plus strong diplomatic pressure, General Oliva Roget, French Delegate to Syria and Commander of the French Forces in Levant, today ordered his troops to cease fire and withdraw to their barracks, according to dispatches received here.

France's compliance with the British demand to terminate the fighting in Syria was announced in the House of Commons today by British Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden and later officially confirmed in Paris.

That French forces in Syria only backed down in the face of the threatened use of British troops was reflected in a statement made to the United Press in Damascus by General Roget.

General Roget bitterly declared, "When the Syrians were assassinating our men, the British did not raise a hand, but now just when we had almost completed their submission, they intervene."

Late last night fighting continued in a number of areas in Syria, and a delayed dispatch reported that by 11 o'clock yesterday morning at least 500 people had been killed or wounded since the fierce fighting started in the Syrian capital on Tuesday night.

Strikes were reported to be continuing in Beirut, and the food situation in the Levant States was said to be becoming serious.

Soviet influence is rapidly rising to its crest, Luce declared that the Anglo-Americans could stem it now, "but time is running out."

Peril Of Nippon Special Aerial Attacks Stressed

Lisbon, May 31 (Domei)—Vice-Admiral Sir Edward Rawlings, Second-in-Command of the British Pacific Fleet, in a delayed Associated Press message from aboard the British battleship "King George V", today stressed the danger of Nippon special aerial attack corps' assaults against Anglo-American naval forces.

The unique and dangerous type of Nippon attack has compelled the Anglo-American naval authorities to adopt new changes in the methods of defending the fleet from air assaults, he said.

Vice-Admiral Rawlings declared, "We have got to tackle the Kamikaze by using our weapons to a greater advantage or developing new weapons," indicating that Nipponese special aerial attack corps' assaults are greatly feared by Anglo-American naval strategists.

United Community Mass Meeting Planned Here

Syonan, June 1 (Domei)—A united mass meeting to be participated in by the various community welfare associations of this city will be held at the Dai Toa Gekijo on June 30 at 6.30 p.m. at which resolutions will be passed renewing their pledge of all-out support and co-operation to the

United States Worried Over Repairing Problem

Lisbon, May 31 (Domei)—The United States Navy Department yesterday admitted that it was frankly and openly worried over the problem of repairing battle-damaged ships in the Pacific, a Washington dispatch reported here today.

American Navy Secretary James Forrestal yesterday told newsmen that "damage to combat ships has increased during the past few months largely because of long sustained operations against Nippon in waters around the enemy homeland." Forrestal, however, made no reference to the losses being inflicted by Nippon special aerial attacks corps.

The American Navy Department disclosed that critical labour shortages exist in vital West Coast repair yards and labour deferments to West Coast ship workers have been cancelled.

The West Coast has been named "No. 1 priority area," and ship workers from the East are being shipped to the West, it said.

Nippon Government for the attainment of final victory.

Participating in this mass meeting will be Chinese, Malai, Indian, Arab, Eurasian and Filipino communities. The rally will close with a combined variety entertainment in which representatives of all the communities invited will take part.

Storming Attacks On Foe In N. Guinea Sector

Southern Front, May 31 (Domei)—In four days' storming assaults carried out on May 13, 15, 16 and 18 after capturing the enemy's airfield at Mar, northern coast of New Guinea, Nippon forces accounted for 140 abandoned enemy dead besides inflicting heavy casualties on the enemy. Furthermore, they destroyed and set ablaze about a dozen enemy bivouacs.

The exploits are chiefly credited to the unit commanded by Lieut. Matsuoaka which stormed deep into enemy lines and although encircled by a large enemy force more than ten times their number, engaged the enemy in close-quarter fighting, charging into enemy bivouacs and throwing the enemy into great confusion.

Censure Motion Moved On Curtin Government

Lisbon, May 31 (Domei)—Robert G. Menzies, Australian Opposition leader last night moved a censure motion on the Curtin Government charging it with failure to deal adequately with the rising tide of industrial lawlessness, encouragement of communist activities and failure to carry out an effective housing policy, according to a Canberra dispatch. He also charged the government with stifling the debate on important legislation and inadequacy to cope with chaotic conditions relating to food production.

British Navy Loses 730 Ships Since Start Of War

Lisbon, May 31 (Domei)—The British Royal Navy has lost a total of 730 vessels since the war began, the British Admiralty announced today, according to a London dispatch. British ships listed lost include the warships "Royal Oak", "Hood" and "Prince of Wales", "Repulse" and "Barham" and the aircraft-carriers "Courageous", "Glorious", "Ark Royal", "Audacity", "Hermes", "Eagle" and "Avenger".

Enemy Submarine Sunk In Waters Off Surabaya

A Nippon Base in South-western Pacific, June 1 (Domei)—A Nippon submarine chaser attacked and sank one enemy submarine off Surabaya, Djawa, yesterday, Tuesday, May 29, according to a report received here today. Nippon aircraft co-operated with our sub-chaser in hunting down and destroying this enemy undersea-raft.

Industrial School For Bintang Populace Opened

Syonan, June 1 (Domei)—Keeping abreast with the swift progress being attained in the island, both industrially and agriculturally, the authorities of Bintang Island recently opened an industrial school for training enterprising youths in useful vocations to fit them for responsible posts in the future.

The school, under the control of the branch office of the Syonan Special Municipality, is located in Tanjong Pinang, chief port and capital of the island.

130 Enemy "Super Forts" Blasted In Osaka Raid

Osaka, June 2 (Domei)—A total of 47 enemy B-29 heavy bombers was shot down and 83 others heavily damaged by our interceptors and anti-aircraft batteries in the course of their counter-attacking operations against some 300 "super-forts" which made an indiscriminate incendiary attack on the Osaka area yesterday morning, according to a communique released jointly by the Central Army Command and the Osaka Naval Garrison Headquarters yesterday afternoon. These results which represented figures ascertained in the final check-up included those announced earlier at noon yesterday.

The Central Army Command's communique issued at noon placed the number of enemy planes downed at 24 and that of enemy aircraft heavily damaged at 30 on the basis of the preliminary check-up.

A joint communique made public this afternoon revealed this total bag of 130 enemy heavy bombers was scored jointly by army and navy interceptors as well as by flak batteries. The communique also revealed that two of our interceptors were lost in the course of counter-attacking operations.

Tokyo, June 1 (Domei)—Some 300 Mariana-based B-29 heavy bombers attacked Osaka mainly with incendiary bombs from about 10 o'clock this morning, Friday. These enemy "super-fort" raiders were escorted by P-51 fighters which were presumably operating from bases on Iwojima.

Differences Of Opinion Tear Frisco Conference

Lisbon, May 31 (Domei)—Differences of opinion have been revived among the "Big Five" powers and the San Francisco Conference at large on two outstanding issues—trusteeship and regional pacts, according to a Reuter dispatch from San Francisco.

Stubborn opposition to the trusteeship proposals, as at present drafted, it said, comes from the representatives of the Arab countries, notably Iraq, while the regional question was revived in the French proposal to safeguard the status of mutual assistance pacts against former enemy states.

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